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General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

Informal interactive dialogue on the report of the Secretary-General on the responsibility to protect[1] [webcast]

Opening: Statements by the President of the General Assembly and the Secretary-General of the United Nations

10:00 Conference Room 3 (CB)

Panel discussion and interactive exchange

10:15 Conference Room 3 (CB)

15:00 Conference Room 3 (CB)

Concluding remarks

17:55 Conference Room 3 (CB)

[1]Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 8 August 2014, 31 July 2014 and 3 September 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. Delegations wishing to inscribe in the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). Delegations are kindly asked to limit their interventions to *three minutes*. Delegations are kindly requested to submit electronic versions of their statements for posting on the PaperSmart portal to papersmart@un.org. The title and the date of the meeting should be indicated in the subject line of the e-mail.

Security Council

10:00 7259th meeting Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Children and armed conflict

   Report of the Secretary-General on children and armed conflict (S/2014/339)

[1]Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*.

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General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

15:00 106th plenary meeting [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters[1] [item 123]

[1]To consider a draft decision circulated by the President of the General Assembly in a letter dated 6 August 2014.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal informal consultations (closed) on a draft resolution on the report of the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals will be convened on *Monday, 8 September 2014,* at 11:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB). A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 5 September 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal informal consultations (closed) on the organizational modalities for the Summit at the level of Heads of State and Government in September 2015 for the adoption of the post-2015 development agenda will be held on *Monday, 8 September 2014,* at 15:00, in Conference Room 9 (CB).

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences
Substantive session for 2014

10:00 to 13:00 Informal consultations (closed) Trusteeship Council Chamber

15:00 to 18:00 535th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

[The items for consideration by the Committee are contained in the following documents: A/69/120*, A/AC.172/2014/L.2, A/AC.172/2014/3, A/AC.172/2014/L.3, A/AC.172/2014/L.3/Add.1, A/AC.172/2014/L.3/Add.2, A/AC.172/2014/L.3/Add.3, A/AC.172/2014/L.3/Add.4 and A/AC.172/2014/L.3/Add.5.

In accordance with the procedure established by the Committee on Conferences at its 423rd meeting, on 1 September 1999, as reflected in paragraphs 172 to 175 of A/54/32, and amended in paragraph 10 of A/56/32, non-members who wish to participate as observers in the organizational session are invited to send a request in writing to Ms. Meena Sur, Acting Secretary of the Committee on Conferences (e-mail surm@un.org with copy to baldic@un.org).

The upcoming substantive session of the Committee on Conferences will be held in paper-smart mode. Accordingly, instead of distributing hardcopies of documents in the conference room, all documentation will be available for downloading electronically through the website of the Committee on Conferences (http://coc.dgacm.org). Delegations are encouraged to bring their laptops, tablets or other mobile devices to the meeting in order to access electronically the official documents and statements from the website. In addition, a print-on-demand service will be made available to members of the Committee and observer delegations upon request, with a dedicated desk set up for this in the conference room.]

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (CB)

Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa

General Assembly

Disarmament Commission
Informal meeting

The Chair of the Disarmament Commission will hold an informal meeting on *Monday, 8 September 2014,* at 10:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing on the outline of the 2014 Annual Report of UN-Women, on *Monday, 8 September 2014,* from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room A (CB). This briefing is organized in response to Executive Board decision 2014/2 on the Report of the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director on progress made on the strategic plan, 2011-2013, including operational activities in 2013.

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Eighth session

Organizational Committee

An informal meeting of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on *Monday, 8 September 2014,* at 10:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

Other activities

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Monday, 8 September 2014

Briefing on "Global Anti-Semitism: A threat to international peace and security" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Palau)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB). [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Kenlie Lipiano, Permanent Mission of Palau (e-mail proffice@palauun.org; tel. 1 (212) 813-0310).]

Informal panel discussion and information sharing session on "The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) role in the context of evolving internet governance" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Mexico and Poland, and ICANN)

From 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room A (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Natalia Casas, Permanent Mission of Mexico (e-mail ncasas@sre.gob.mx).]

Briefing by the Secretary-General on "Arrangements for the 2014 Climate Summit to be held on 23 September" (organized by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

At 16:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Michelle Ramcharan, Executive Office of the Secretary-General (e-mail ramcharan@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-4371).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Monday, 8 September 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/125, the General Assembly will convene a High-level Forum on a Culture of Peace on Tuesday, 9 September 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber and in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB), respectively. Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 8 August 2014, 17 July 2014 and 4 June 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. Delegations wishing to inscribe in the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). Delegations are kindly requested to submit electronic versions of their statements for posting on the PaperSmart portal to papersmart@un.org. The title and the date of the meeting should be indicated in the subject line of the e-mail.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations (closed) on the Outcome Document of the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Tuesday, 9 September 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

An informal meeting of the plenary to mark the Observance of the International Day against Nuclear Tests will be held on Wednesday, 10 September 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The meeting is convened under the overall theme "The Path to Zero". A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 18 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There is no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the High-level interactive panel.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The General Assembly will hold its 108th plenary meeting on Wednesday, 10 September 2014, at 15:00 in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, to consider the report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly (A/68/951) under agenda item 122 (Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly), as well as sub-item (a) of agenda item 19 (Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development).

Protocol and security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding protocol, security and organizational arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (22 September–1 October 2014) will take place on Wednesday, 10 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB). *Permanent missions and permanent observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

A High-level Stock-taking event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report, will be held on Thursday, 11 and Friday, 12 September 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 30 June 2014 and 17 July 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There will be no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the discussions.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution A/RES/57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution A/RES/66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on housing and sustainable urban development (Habitat III)

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 67/216 of 21 December 2012, the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development (Habitat III) will be held on Wednesday, 17 and Thursday, 18 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda for the session is contained in document A/CONF.226/PC.1/1.

Regional groups are reminded to nominate two States each for the Bureau of the Preparatory Committee. Nominations should be submitted, *in writing*, as soon as possible, by each regional group to the secretariat (e-mail habitat3secretariat@un.org copying muturi@un.org). Letters dated 12 June and 14 July 2014 from the Secretariat were sent to the Chairs of the regional groups.

Delegates who wish to attend the session of the Preparatory Committee are kindly requested to communicate, *as soon as possible*, the composition of their delegations to the secretariat (e-mail habitat3secretariat@un.org, copying elliotts@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-3783). Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org, copying habitat3secretariat@un.org). Statements should be limited to *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group. Additional information on the first session of the Preparatory Committee for Habitat III is available in the Conference website (www.unhabitat.org/habitat-iii).

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250. The provisional agenda for the special session has been issued as document A/S-29/1.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes*.

Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for all representatives to the twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly, in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly. Credentials should be sent to the secretariat of the Credentials Committee (tel. 1 (212) 963-4657; room S-3639).

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

General debate
(24-27 September and 29 September-1 October 2014)

The provisional list of speakers No. 2 for the general debate of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-3082). The list of speakers has also been sent by email and by facsimile directly to the permanent missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are kindly reminded that, in accordance with existing practice at the general debate, a voluntary *15-minute* time limit should be observed and the list of speakers has been prepared on the basis of the agreed *15-minute* statement by each delegation. In order to assist the speakers with the timely delivery of their statements, a light mechanism will be installed at the rostrum. In view of the postponement of the opening of the general debate by one day, adherence to the voluntary 15-minute time limit will be strongly advised.

Delegations may wish to inform their capital accordingly.

Forthcoming official meetings

Tuesday, 9 September 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

15:00 107th plenary meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields: draft resolution (A/68/L.57/Rev.1) [item 14]
2. Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance: Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action: draft decision (A/68/L.58) [item 67 (b)]
3. Report of the International Criminal Court: draft resolution (A/68/L.59) [item 75]
4. Strengthening of the United Nations system; United Nations reform: measures and proposals: draft resolution (A/68/L.42/Rev.1) [items 124 and 125]

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 18 July 2014 in document A/69/150.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

The information note for delegations on arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate was issued in document A/INF/69/4.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed

by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

Main Committees

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Friday, 3 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB), to consider its provisional programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/69/CRP.1) and indicative timetable for thematic discussions (A/C.1/69/CRP.2). A technical briefing by the Secretariat for delegates of the First Committee will be held in Conference Room 4 (GAB), immediately following the adjournment of the organizational meeting.

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items, from Tuesday, 7, to Wednesday, 15 October 2014. The Committee will then hold thematic discussions on specific subjects and the introduction and consideration of all draft resolutions submitted under agenda items from Thursday, 16, to Tuesday, 28 October 2014.

The list of speakers for the general debate *is open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact Mr. Tomas Casas (e-mail casast@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9488; room S-3055).

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit should be observed of *10 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *15 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open at a later date. The time limit for the thematic discussions is *5 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *7 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Mr. Kenji Nakano, Secretary of the First Committee (c/o Mr. Tomas Casas (e-mail casast@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9488; room S-3055; fax 1 (212) 963-5305)).

Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact Ms. Lidija Komatina (e-mail komatina@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2378; room S-3057).

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site (*click here*). For inquiries regarding access to QuickFirst, kindly contact Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org).

Sixth Committee

A briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will be held on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law
Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing, chaired by the Chair of the Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, on Wednesday, 17 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 6 (GAB). The briefing is open to all Member States.

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Second regular session 2014

The second regular session 2014 of the Executive Board of United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) will be held on Monday, 15, and Tuesday 16 September 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda and workplan for the session are contained in document UNW/2014/L.4. To consult advance copies of documentation for the session, please *click here*.

Member States, observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official

letterhead), as well as any requests to be on the speakers list with respect to agenda item on evaluation (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org) as early as possible, *but no later than Tuesday, 10 September 2014*.

The upcoming annual session will be PaperSmart as usual. All official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal and will not be distributed by conference services during the session. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart.eb@unwomen.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services. Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

The Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, will hold an open briefing on "Countering Incitement to Commit Terrorist Acts Motivated by Extremism and Intolerance: the Kingdom of Morocco's Approach and Experiences of other African States" on Tuesday, 30 September 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB). The briefing will be open to Member and Observer States, United Nations entities, intergovernmental organizations and specialized agencies. Related information is available by *clicking here*.

Inquiries can be addressed to Mr. Matteo Sestito, Associate Political Affairs Officer, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) (e-mail sestito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1891) and Ms. Rebecca Brattskar, Associate Political Affairs Officer, CTED (e-mail brattskar@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1261).

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Second regular session 2014

The 2014 second regular session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from Tuesday, 9 to Friday, 12 September 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB). The provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2014/14. To consult advance copies of all documentation for the session, please *click here*. Member States, as well as observers and representatives of other organizations attending the session are requested to fax their credentials to the Office of the Secretary of the Executive Board of UNICEF (e-mail harai@unicef.org; or fax 1 (212) 326-7096) as early as possible, but no later than *Monday, 8 September 2014*.

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedures and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

The upcoming 2014 second regular session will be a PaperSmart session of the UNICEF Executive Board. This means that instead of distributing hardcopies in the conference room, all documentation will be available for downloading electronically through the UNICEF Executive Board website.

All session documents will continue to be available on the existing 'Documents' webpage, as per established practice. In addition, the UNICEF Executive Board homepage will provide a link to the 'In-session' webpage that will make available all supporting documentation (PowerPoints and statements, etc.) to the individual meetings.

Delegations planning to present statements at the session are kindly requested to submit electronic versions to the Office of the Secretary of the Executive Board (Attention: Mr. Dillon Leano (e-mail dleano@unicef.org)). The intended agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. Delegations are further requested to bring 10 hard copies of their statements to the conference officers for interpretation. These statements will remain embargoed until delivery of the statement and then posted to the 'In-session' webpage on the UNICEF Executive Board website.

A printing-on-demand service will be made available to members of the Executive Board and observer delegations upon request, with a dedicated desk set up for this in the conference room. Delegations are encouraged to bring their laptops, tablets or other mobile devices to the meeting in order to access electronically the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart portal.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal informal consultations on a draft procedural resolution on "Structured dialogues on a technology facilitation mechanism" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the Permanent Missions of Brazil and Switzerland)

Tuesday, 9 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room C (CB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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OIC Group (at the expert level)

Tuesday, 9 September 2014, from 15.00 to 18:00, in Conference Room A (CB).

International Criminal Court: Coalition for the International Criminal Court (panel discussion with judicial candidates)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing on "The contribution in support of the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries (LLDCs) (3-5 November 2014, Vienna, Austria)" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Austria, Bhutan, Kazakhstan, Turkey and Zambia, and the United Nations Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Tuesday, 9 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

[All permanent missions and observer missions are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Derya Serbetci, Permanent Mission of Turkey (e-mail derya.serbetci@mfa.gov.tr; tel. 1 (212) 450-9127); or M. Kennedy Chesoli, UN-OHRLLS (e-mail chesoli@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1984).]

Presentation of the Report of the Global Commission on Drug Policy, entitled *"Taking Control: pathways to drug policies that work"* (co-organized by the Global Commission on Drug Policy, the Permanent Missions of Colombia, Mexico and Switzerland)

Wednesday, 10 September 2014, from 10:00 to 11:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Switzerland (e-mail ptg@eda.admin.ch).]

Briefing for new delegates to the General Assembly (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR))

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 10:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Women's International Forum: Lecture by His Excellency John W. Ashe, President of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly on "Setting the Stage for the Post–2015 Agenda. A year as President of the UN General Assembly" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend. Please *click here* for further information.]

Briefing to Member States on national security (organized by the Department of Safety and Security)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For more information, please contact Ms. Paula Goncalves, United Nations Security and Safety Service (e-mail goncalvesp@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7531).]

Special event on "Strengthening the monitoring and review framework of the post-2015 development agenda: Who should be accountable and how?" (organized by the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR))

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information please contact Mr. Nouhoum Sangaré, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail sangaren@un.org).]

Briefing on the "Every Woman, Every Child movement" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of China, Kenya and the United Kingdom)

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Elhadji Ndao, EOSG (e-mail ndaoe@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3518).]

Event on "New Climate Economy Report" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Norway)

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 09:30 to 11:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB).

[All are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Annemarta S. Mugaas, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail annemarta.mugaas@mfa.no); or *click here*.]

Briefing on the "Climate and Clean Air Coalition to Reduce Short-Lived Climate Pollutants (CCAC)" (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30 in Conference Room A (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Jim Sniffen, UNEP (e-mail sniffenj@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8094).]

Training session on "Using the *Yearbook of the United Nations* online" (co-organized by the Publications and Editorial Section, the Dag Hammarskjöld Library and the Outreach Division, Department of Public Information (DPI))

Thursday, 18 September 2014, from 14:30 to 16:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Training Room (L-166).

[Members of permanent missions and permanent observer missions and United Nations staff are invited. To register for the session, please *click here*. For further information, please contact Mr. John R. Sebesta, Yearbook Unit (e-mail sebesta@un.org).]

Announcements

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law recently added the following lecture by Mr. Hurst Hannum to the Lecture Series of its website: "The International Law of Self-Determination". All interested parties are invited to visit the website, please *click here* to view the new lecture.

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are off-line as of Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa are now being accepted. *The deadline for applications is 24 October 2014*. The Regional Course for Africa is scheduled to be held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 2 to 27 February 2015. This course is open for candidates from Member States of the United Nations, which are also members of the regional group of African States. The Regional Course will be conducted in English in 2015. The organization of the Regional Course is subject to funding.

For further information, including application forms, please consult the website of the Regional Courses at http://www.un.org/law/rcil; or contact the Codification Division at: rcil-africa@un.org.

2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from 22 June to 31 July 2015, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Monday, 1 December 2014*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in English this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme website at www.un.org/law/ilfp; or contact the Codification Division at ilfp@un.org.

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of September:

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Finding Speeches (English)

Voting Information (English)

Introduction to Library Services (English)

General Assembly Documentation (English and Spanish)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English and French)

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources (English)

Introduction to e-Books (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their permanent missions. Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

United Nations Convention against Corruption. New York, 31 October 2003

Ratification: Sudan (5 September 2014)

Doha Amendment to the Kyoto Protocol. Doha, 8 December 2012

Acceptance: Morocco (5 September 2014)

Acceptance: Solomon Islands (5 September 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Malawi
His Excellency Charles Msosa

Asia-Pacific States:
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Mr. Gholamhossein Dehghani
Chargé d'affaires

Eastern European States:
Czech Republic
Her Excellency Edita Hrdá

Latin American and Caribbean States:
El Salvador
His Excellency Rubén Ignacio Zamora Rivas

Western European and other States:
Switzerland
His Excellency Paul Seger

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and

verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

Information regarding the *Journal* of the United Nations

The *Journal of the United Nations* is issued daily in English and in French. During the main part of the General Assembly session (September to December), it is also issued in Arabic, Chinese, Russian, and Spanish.

Kindly take note that the English and French versions of the *Journal* are accessible to blind and visually impaired users via screen readers.

Back issues of the *Journal*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp and www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcome. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Emergency information and updates

Emergency information and updates can be obtained on the United Nations Headquarters Emergency Information website at emergency.un.org and delegateinfo.un.int. The website also offers the option of subscription to e-mail, SMS and voice call alerts. In addition, a hotline number for updates during weather emergencies or other urgent situations can be accessed by calling 1 (212) 963-9800.

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Touch screen information kiosks

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations and staff to use the two touch screen information kiosks located in the North Lawn Building to access the official meeting schedule, the *Journal of the United Nations*, the Delegates' Handbook, the Blue Book and the United Nations Staff Yellow Pages, as well as Headquarters and Conference Room Maps. These easy to use kiosks are located on the ground floor just after the First Avenue entrance security checkpoint and on the second floor next to the Café. DGACM welcomes feedback, questions or comments pertaining to the information kiosks, which can be addressed to helpdesk@un.org.

Websites

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www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/

Security Council
www.un.org/en/sc

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
www.un.org/sc/1540/

Department of Economic and Social Affairs
www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html

Economic and Social Council
www.un.org/en/ecosoc/

Office for Disarmament Affairs
www.un.org/disarmament/

United Nations Treaty Collection
http://treaties.un.org/

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law
owww.un.org/law/avl/

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United Nations Press Releases
www.un.org/en/unpress/index.asp

United Nations Webcast
www.unmultimedia.org/tv/webcast/index.html

Yearbook of the United Nations
http://unyearbook.un.org

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www.un.org/chronicle

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With the exception of sales publications and public information material, hyperlinked official documents listed hereunder may be accessed through the Official Document System of the United Nations http://documents.un.org in the electronic version of the present Journal.

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A/68/L.59 Item 75 — Report of the International Criminal Court — Argentina, Australia, Japan, Netherlands, South Africa and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland: draft resolution — Report of the International Criminal Court [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

A/68/L.42/Rev.1 Items 124 and 125 — Strengthening of the United Nations system — United Nations reform: measures and proposals Belarus and Bolivia (Plurinational State of): revised draft resolution — Enhancement of the administration and financial functioning of the United Nations [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

A/68/L.57/Rev.1 Item 14 — Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields — Bolivia (Plurinational State of): revised draft resolution — Towards the establishment of a multilateral legal framework for sovereign debt restructuring processes [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

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A/69/186 Item 67 (a) of the provisional agenda — Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance — Progress report of the High Commissioner for Human Rights on the realignment of work and name of the Anti-Discrimination Unit — Report of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights [A C E F R S] — *10 pages*

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A/69/273 Item 69 (b) of the provisional agenda — Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms — Effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of all human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *12 pages*

A/69/274 Item 69 (b) of the provisional agenda — Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms — The right to adequate housing — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *20 pages*

A/69/328 Item 67 (a) of the provisional agenda — Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance — Financial situation of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*

A/69/341 Item 35 of the provisional agenda — The situation in the Middle East — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *9 pages*

Tenth emergency special session

A/ES-10/655–S/2014/634
Item 5 — Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory — Identical letters dated 27 August 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

Committee on Conferences
Substantive session of 2014

A/AC.172/2014/L.3 Draft report — Organizational matters [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

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Draft report — Calendar of conferences and meetings [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/AC.172/2014/L.3/Add.2
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Draft report — Matters related to documentation and publications [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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Draft report — Matters related to translation and interpretation [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

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CEDAW/C/CAF/CO/1-5 Concluding observations on the combined initial and second to fifth periodic reports of the Central African Republic [A C E F R S] — *14 pages*

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List of issues and questions in relation to the combined seventh and eighth periodic reports of Poland — Replies of Poland [A C E F R S] — *63 pages*

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S/2014/445 Report of the Secretary-General concerning the credentials of the alternate representatives of the United States of America on the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/2014/592 Letter dated 19 August 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *13 pages*

A/ES-10/655–S/2014/634
Identical letters dated 27 August 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

S/2014/637 Letter dated 27 August 2014 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Norway to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *16 pages*

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Communications to the Editor

Material for inclusion in the *Journal* should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3888 and 963-0493; Room CB-0304 (Conference Building)).

The *deadline* to submit material for the *Journal* issue of the next day is *18:30 for the programme of meetings*, and *19:00 for the summaries*. The announcements to be published in the "Forthcoming other activities" section, should be sent before *18:00* at least two days in advance.

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General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

High-level Forum on the Culture of Peace[1]

Opening and keynote statement [webcast]

10:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

High-level segment debate

10:45 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Panel discussion I: The role and contributions of women and youth to the Culture of Peace

15:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

Panel discussion II: Global citizenship as pathways to the Culture of Peace

16:15 Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

Closing remarks

17:35 Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

[1]The Forum is being held pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/125. Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 8 August 2014, 17 July 2014 and 4 June 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. Delegations wishing to inscribe in the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). Delegations are kindly requested to submit electronic versions of their statements for posting on the PaperSmart portal to papersmart@un.org. The title and the date of the meeting should be indicated in the subject line of the e-mail.

Security Council

10:00 7260th meeting Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Liberia

Twenty-eighth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2014/598)

Letter dated 28 August 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/644)

Morning[1] Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room

United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL) (S/2014/598 and S/2014/644)

Other matters

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 7260th meeting.

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General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

15:00 107th plenary meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields: draft resolution (A/68/L.57/Rev.1) [item 14]
2. Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance: Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action: draft decision (A/68/L.58) [item 67 (b)]
3. Report of the International Criminal Court: draft resolution (A/68/L.59) [item 75]
4. Strengthening of the United Nations system; United Nations reform: measures and proposals: draft resolution (A/68/L.42/Rev.1) [items 124 and 125]

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations (closed) on the Outcome Document of the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held *today*, 9 September 2014, at 15:00, and *tomorrow*, 10 September 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (CB)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (CB)

1. International Public Sector Accounting Standards
2. Executive meeting
3. Ethics Office

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Second regular session 2014

10:00 to 13:00 1st meeting [webcast] Conference Room 3 (CB)

1. Opening of the session [item 1]

Statements by the President of the Executive Board and the Executive Director

2. Adoption of the provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work (E/ICEF/2014/14) [item 2]

3. Global thematic evaluations and management responses [item 6]

13:15 to 14:45 Conference Room 3 (CB)

Informal consultations

15:00 to 17:00 2nd meeting [webcast] Conference Room 3 (CB)

Structured dialogue on financing results of the UNICEF strategic plan, 2014-2017, and Critical mass of core resources [item 4]

17:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 3 (CB)

Informal consultations

[The Western Europe and Other States Group will meet *daily* from 9:00 to 9:30, in Conference Room 9 (CB).]

[To consult advance copies of all documentation for the session, please *click here*.]

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

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General Assembly

Informal informal consultations on a draft procedural resolution on "Structured dialogues on a technology facilitation mechanism" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the Permanent Missions of Brazil and Switzerland)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room C (CB).

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 9 September 2014

OIC Group (Contact Group on the Rohingya)

11:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 9 (CB)

OIC Group (at the expert level)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room A (CB)

Other activities

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Tuesday, 9 September 2014

Briefing on "The contribution in support of the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries (LLDCs) (3-5 November 2014, Vienna, Austria)" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Austria, Bhutan, Kazakhstan, Turkey and Zambia, and the United Nations Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

[All permanent missions and observer missions are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Derya Serbetci, Permanent Mission of Turkey (e-mail derya.serbetci@mfa.gov.tr; tel. 1 (212) 450-9127); or M. Kennedy Chesoli, UN-OHRLLS (e-mail chesoli@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1984).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Tuesday, 9 September 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
17:30	Press briefing by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Argentina, His Excellency Héctor Timerman; and the President of the Group of 77 and Permanent Representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to the United Nations, His Excellency Sacha Llorenty Soliz (on the question of the sovereign debt restructuring process and the need for a legal framework)

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations on the zero draft text of the outcome document for the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will be held on Wednesday, 10 September 2014, at 15:00, and on Friday, 12 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 9 (CB). The zero draft text was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers, under cover of a letter dated 8 September 2014.

Protocol and security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding protocol, security and organizational arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (22 September–1 October 2014) will take place on Wednesday, 10 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB). *Permanent missions and permanent observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

A High-level Stock-taking event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report will be held on Thursday, 11 and Friday, 12 September 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 30 June 2014 and 17 July 2014 were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There will be no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the discussions. For the updated and detailed programme, please *click here.*

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution A/RES/57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution A/RES/66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on housing and sustainable urban development (Habitat III)

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 67/216 of 21 December 2012, the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development (Habitat III) will be held on Wednesday, 17 and Thursday, 18 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda for the session is contained in document A/CONF.226/PC.1/1.

Regional groups are reminded to nominate two States each for the Bureau of the Preparatory Committee. Nominations should be submitted, *in writing*, as soon as possible, by each regional group to the secretariat (e-mail habitat3secretariat@un.org copying muturi@un.org). Letters dated 12 June and 14 July 2014 from the Secretariat were sent to the Chairs of the regional groups.

Delegates who wish to attend the session of the Preparatory Committee are kindly requested to communicate, *as soon as possible*, the composition of their delegations to the secretariat (e-mail habitat3secretariat@un.org, copying elliotts@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-3783). Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org, copying habitat3secretariat@un.org). Statements should be limited to *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group. Additional information on the first session of the Preparatory Committee for Habitat III is available in the Conference website (www.unhabitat.org/habitat-iii).

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250. The provisional agenda for the special session has been issued as document A/S-29/1.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes*.

Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for all representatives to the twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly, in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly. Credentials should be sent to the secretariat of the Credentials Committee (tel. 1 (212) 963-4657; room S-3639).

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

General debate
(24-27 September and 29 September-1 October 2014)

The provisional list of speakers No. 2 for the general debate of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-3082). The list of speakers has also been sent by email and by facsimile directly to the permanent missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are kindly reminded that, in accordance with existing practice at the general debate, a voluntary *15-minute* time limit should be observed and the list of speakers has been prepared on the basis of the agreed *15-minute* statement by each delegation. In order to assist the speakers with the timely delivery of their statements, a light mechanism will be installed at the rostrum. In view of the postponement of the opening of the general debate by one day, adherence to the voluntary *15-minute* time limit will be strongly advised.

Delegations may wish to inform their capital accordingly.

Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 10 September 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal meeting to mark the Observance of the International Day against Nuclear Tests[1]

10:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Opening

Statements by the President of the General Assembly and the Secretary-General of the United Nations

High-level interactive panel discussion

"The Path to Zero: The Role of the United Nations in Nuclear Disarmament and Non-Proliferation"

[1]The meeting is convened under the overall theme "The Path to Zero". A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 18 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There will be no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the High-level interactive panel.

General Assembly
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15:00 108th plenary meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [item 122]
   (a) Report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly (A/68/951*)
   (b) Draft resolution (A/68/951*, paragraph 91)
2. 2001-2010: Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa: draft resolution (A/68/L.60) [13]
3. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields: draft resolution (A/68/L.61) [14]

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For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 18 July 2014 in document A/69/150.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

The information note for delegations on arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate was issued in document A/INF/69/4.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

Main Committees

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Friday, 3 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB), to consider its provisional programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/69/CRP.1) and indicative timetable for thematic discussions (A/C.1/69/CRP.2). A technical briefing by the Secretariat for delegates of the First Committee will be held in Conference Room 4 (GAB), immediately following the adjournment of the organizational meeting.

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items, from Tuesday, 7, to Wednesday, 15 October 2014. The Committee will then hold thematic discussions on specific subjects and the introduction and consideration of all draft resolutions submitted under agenda items from Thursday, 16, to Tuesday, 28 October 2014.

The list of speakers for the general debate *is open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact Mr. Tomas Casas (e-mail casast@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9488; room S-3055).

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit should be observed of *10 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *15 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open at a later date. The time limit for the thematic discussions is *5 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *7 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Mr. Kenji Nakano, Secretary of the First

Committee (c/o Mr. Tomas Casas (e-mail casast@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9488; room S-3055; fax 1 (212) 963-5305)).

Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact Ms. Lidija Komatina (e-mail komatina@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2378; room S-3057).

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site (*click here*). For inquiries regarding access to QuickFirst, kindly contact Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org).

Second Committee

The Second Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Friday, 19 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB), to consider its proposed organization of work (to be issued as document A/C.2/69/L.1) and status of documentation for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (to be issued as document A/C.2/69/L.1/Add.1), as well as to discuss its working methods for the session.

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly on Tuesday, 7 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

For information and documentation relating to the work of the Second Committee, please *click here*.

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Third Committee

Informal briefing

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316, an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Third Committee for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (A/C.3/69/L.1 and A/C.3/69/L.1/Add.1[1]) will be held on Thursday, 18 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

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[1]To be issued.

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Tuesday, 7 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The list of speakers for the general discussion on each item of the Third Committee will open on Monday, 22 September 2014. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact, *in writing*, to Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org).

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Moncef Khane (c/o Mr. Jose Tanoy (e-mail tanoy@un.org; room S-1291)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Background information on the work of the Third Committee, including the provisional programme of work for the sixty-ninth session, is available by *clicking here*.

For inquiries regarding user names and passwords for Third Committee QuickPlace, please contact Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4882).

Sixth Committee

A briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will be held on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law
Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing, chaired by the Chair of the Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, on Wednesday, 17 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 6 (GAB). The briefing is open to all Member States.

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Second regular session 2014

The second regular session 2014 of the Executive Board of United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) will be held on Monday, 15, and Tuesday 16 September 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda and workplan for the session are contained in document

UNW/2014/L.4. To consult advance copies of documentation for the session, please *click here*.

Member States, observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official letterhead), as well as any requests to be on the speakers list with respect to agenda item on evaluation (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org) as early as possible, *but no later than Wednesday, 10 September 2014*.

The upcoming annual session will be PaperSmart as usual. All official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal and will not be distributed by conference services during the session. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart.eb@unwomen.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services. Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

The Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, will hold an open briefing on "Countering Incitement to Commit Terrorist Acts Motivated by Extremism and Intolerance: the Kingdom of Morocco's Approach and Experiences of other African States" on Tuesday, 30 September 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB). The briefing will be open to Member and Observer States, United Nations entities, intergovernmental organizations and specialized agencies. Related information is available by *clicking here*.

Inquiries can be addressed to Mr. Matteo Sestito, Associate Political Affairs Officer, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) (e-mail sestito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1891) and Ms. Rebecca Brattskar, Associate Political Affairs Officer, CTED (e-mail brattskar@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1261).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Non-Aligned Movement: Non-Aligned Caucus of the Peacebuilding Commission

Wednesday, 10 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room C (CB).

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on Legal Matters

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 9 (CB).

International Criminal Court: Coalition for the International Criminal Court (panel discussion with judicial candidates)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Presentation of the Report of the Global Commission on Drug Policy, entitled *"Taking Control: pathways to drug policies that work"* (co-organized by the Global Commission on Drug Policy, the Permanent Missions of Colombia, Mexico and Switzerland)

Wednesday, 10 September 2014, from 10:00 to 11:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Switzerland (e-mail ptg@eda.admin.ch).]

Interactive meeting between the President of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly and civil society for the High-level Stocktaking Event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report (organized by the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

Wednesday, 10 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Aqeelah Akbar, Office of the President of the General Assembly (e-mail akbar@un.org).]

Briefing for new delegates to the General Assembly (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR))

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 10:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Briefing on Government Claims and Memoranda of Understanding (MOU) website (organized by the Department of Field Support (DFS))

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Yolla Assaf, DFS (e-mail assafy@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9333).]

Women's International Forum: Lecture by His Excellency John W. Ashe, President of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly on "Setting the Stage for the Post-2015 Agenda. A year as President of the UN General Assembly" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend. Please *click here* for further information.]

Briefing to Member States on national security (organized by the Department of Safety and Security)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For more information, please contact Ms. Paula Goncalves, United Nations Security and Safety Service (e-mail goncalvesp@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7531).]

Special event on "A Critical Link in the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Technology Access and Assessment" (co-organized by the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (UN-NGLS) and the Action Group on Erosion, Technology and Concentration (ETC Group))

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All are invited. For further information, please *click here*; or contact UN-NGLS (e-mail info@un-ngls.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3125).]

Special event on "Strengthening the monitoring and review framework of the post-2015 development agenda: Who should be accountable and how?" (organized by the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR))

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information please contact Mr. Nouhoum Sangaré, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail sangaren@un.org).]

Briefing on the "Every Woman, Every Child movement" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of China, Kenya and the United Kingdom)

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Elhadji Ndao, EOSG (e-mail ndaoe@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3518).]

Event on "New Climate Economy Report" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Norway)

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 09:30 to 11:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB).

[All are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Annemarta S. Mugaas, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail annemarta.mugaas@mfa.no); or *click here.*]

Reconciliation and Conflict Prevention Workshop (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) New York Office)

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C (CB)

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Briefing on the "Climate and Clean Air Coalition to Reduce Short-Lived Climate Pollutants (CCAC)" (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room A (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Jim Sniffen, UNEP (e-mail sniffenj@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8094).]

Training session on "Using the *Yearbook of the United Nations* online" (co-organized by the Publications and Editorial Section, the Dag Hammarskjöld Library and the Outreach Division, Department of Public Information (DPI))

Thursday, 18 September 2014, from 14:30 to 16:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Training Room (L-166).

[Members of permanent missions and permanent observer missions and United Nations staff are invited. To register for the session, please *click here*. For further information, please contact Mr. John R. Sebesta, Yearbook Unit (e-mail sebesta@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "Moving to Implementation: findings from the UNDG Dialogues on Post-2015 Implementation" (co-organized by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and the United Nations Development Group (UNDG))

Thursday, 25 September 2014, from 11:30 13:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Antje Watermann, UNDP (e-mail antje.watermann@undp.org; tel. 1 (o46) 781-4091).]

Announcements

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are off-line as of Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa are now being accepted. *The deadline for applications is 24 October 2014*. The Regional Course for Africa is scheduled to be held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 2 to 27 February 2015. This course is open for candidates from Member States of the United Nations, which are also members of the regional group of African States. The Regional Course will be conducted in English in 2015. The organization of the Regional Course is subject to funding.

For further information, including application forms, please consult the website of the Regional Courses at http://www.un.org/law/rcil; or contact the Codification Division at: rcil-africa@un.org.

2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from 22 June to 31 July 2015, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Monday, 1 December 2014*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in English this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme website at www.un.org/law/ilfp; or contact the Codification Division at ilfp@un.org.

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of September:

Overview of the Legal Library (English)

Newsbank Database Demonstration (English)

Finding Speeches (English)

Voting Information (English)

Introduction to Library Services (English)

General Assembly Documentation (English and Spanish)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English and French)

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources (English)

Introduction to e-Books (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their permanent missions. Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 8 September 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7259th meeting

Children and armed conflict

Report of the Secretary-General on children and armed conflict (S/2014/339)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Algeria, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Estonia, Germany, Guatemala, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Israel, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Malaysia, Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco, Myanmar, New Zealand, Pakistan, the Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Somalia, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, the Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, Uruguay and Yemen, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Ms. Leila Zerrougui, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict, Mr. Hervé Ladsous, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Ms. Yoka Brandt, Deputy Executive Director of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), Mr. Forest Whitaker, Special Envoy for Peace and Reconciliation of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), and Ms. Sandra Uwiringiyimana, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited His Excellency Ahmed Fathalla, Permanent Observer of the League of Arab States, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item.

The Council heard briefings by Ms. Zerrougui, Mr. Ladsous, Ms. Brandt, Mr. Whitaker, and Ms. Uwiringiyimana.

A statement was made by His Excellency Jean Asselborn, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs of Luxembourg.

Statements were made by the representatives of Chad, the United Kingdom, Nigeria, Australia, Lithuania, Jordan, France, the Russian Federation, the Republic of Korea, Chile, Argentina, China and Rwanda, and by the President, speaking in her capacity as the representative of the United States.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan, Turkey, Colombia, Brazil, Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden), Mexico, Thailand, Italy, Azerbaijan and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting (speaking on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav

Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova, Armenia and Georgia, which aligned themselves with the statement).

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Austria, Israel, Qatar, the Islamic Republic of Iran (speaking on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Germany, Malaysia, Guatemala and Estonia.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Ahmed Fathalla.

The Council then heard statements by the representatives of Algeria, Belgium, India, Japan, Portugal, Poland, Canada, Indonesia (speaking on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Cooperation), Morocco, Uruguay, Iraq, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Spain, Afghanistan, New Zealand, Botswana, Myanmar, Somalia, Ukraine, Montenegro, Sudan, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Yemen, the Philippines, Switzerland and Liechtenstein.

The representatives of the Russian Federation, Turkey and the Syrian Arab Republic made further statements.

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

[archived video]

106th plenary meeting

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters [item 123]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 123.

The President made a statement, in the course of which he introduced a draft oral decision.

The representative of India made a statement on a point of order.

The General Assembly adopted the draft oral decision (decision 68/557).

Statements in explanation of vote after the adoption were made by the representatives of Japan, Italy, India, Brazil, Germany, China, Colombia, the Russian Federation, Pakistan and Solomon Islands.

The President made a statement.

The representative of Algeria made a statement.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 123.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

United Nations Convention against Corruption. New York, 31 October 2003

Notification under article 44 (6): China (5 September 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Malawi
His Excellency Charles Msosa

Asia-Pacific States:
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Mr. Gholamhossein Dehghani
Chargé d'affaires

Eastern European States:
Czech Republic
Her Excellency Edita Hrdá

Latin American and Caribbean States:
El Salvador
His Excellency Rubén Ignacio Zamora Rivas

Western European and other States:
Switzerland
His Excellency Paul Seger

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

Information regarding the *Journal* of the United Nations

The *Journal of the United Nations* is issued daily in English and in French. During the main part of the General Assembly session (September to December), it is also issued in Arabic, Chinese, Russian, and Spanish.

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Back issues of the *Journal*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp and www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp.

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General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

Informal meeting to mark the Observance of the International Day against Nuclear Tests[1] [webcast]

10:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Opening

Statements by the President of the General Assembly and the Secretary-General of the United Nations

High-level interactive panel discussion

"The Path to Zero: The Role of the United Nations in Nuclear Disarmament and Non-Proliferation"

[1] The meeting is convened under the overall theme "The Path to Zero". A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 18 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There will be no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the High-level interactive panel.

Security Council

10:00 7261st meeting (closed) Conference Room 1 (CB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti

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General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The 1st informal meeting (closed) of the General Committee-elect of the sixty-ninth session will be held *today*, 10 September 2014, at 09:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President-elect of the General Assembly for the sixty-ninth session, dated 5 September 2014, was sent to the General Committee-elect Members.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

15:00 108th plenary meeting [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [item 122]
   (a) Report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly (A/68/951*)
   (b) Draft resolution (A/68/951*, paragraph 91)
2. 2001-2010: Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa: draft resolution (A/68/L.60) [item 13]
3. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields: draft resolution (A/68/L.61) [item 14]

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations (closed) on the Outcome Document of the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held *today*, 10 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations on the zero draft text of the outcome document for the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will be held *today*, 10 September 2014, at 15:00, and on Friday, 12 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 9 (CB). The zero draft text was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers, under cover of a letter dated 8 September 2014.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal informal consultations (closed) on the organizational modalities for the Summit at the level of Heads of State and Government in September 2015 for the adoption of the post-2015 development agenda will be held *today*, 10 September 2014, at 17:00, in Conference Room A (CB).

Protocol and security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding protocol, security and organizational arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (22 September–1 October 2014) will take place *today*, 10 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB). *Permanent missions and permanent observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (CB)
	Board of Auditors	

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014)

15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Second regular session 2014

10:00 to 13:00	3rd meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 3 (CB)

1. UNICEF strategic plan: updated financial estimates 2014-2017 (E/ICEF/2014/AB/L.5) [item 8]
2. Private fundraising: financial report for the year ended 31 December 2013 (E/ICEF/2014/AB/L.6) [item 7]

13:15 to 14:45	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 3 (CB)

15:00 to 17:00 — 4th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 3 (CB)

Proposals for UNICEF programme cooperation [item 5]

(a) Approval of revised country and area programme documents discussed at the annual session of 2014 (Afghanistan, Angola, Comoros, Sierra Leone, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, and the area programme for Palestinian children and women in Jordan, Lebanon, the Syrian Arab Republic and the State of Palestine)

(b) Draft country programme documents:

Central and Eastern Europe and the Commonwealth of Independent States (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.12)

Latin America and the Caribbean (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.13, E/ICEF/2014/P/L.14 and E/ICEF/2014/P/L.15)

(c) Extensions of ongoing country programmes (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.16)

17:00 to 18:00 — Informal consultations (closed) — Conference Room 3 (CB)

[The Western Europe and Other States Group will meet *daily* from 9:00 to 9:30, in Conference Room 9 (CB).]

[To consult advance copies of all documentation for the session, please *click here*.]

Other meetings

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Wednesday, 10 September 2014

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 13:00 — Closed meeting — Conference Room C (CB)

Non-Aligned Movement: Non-Aligned Caucus of the Peacebuilding Commission

13:15 to 14:30 — Closed meeting — Conference Room C (CB)

Other activities

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Wednesday, 10 September 2014

Presentation of the Report of the Global Commission on Drug Policy, entitled *"Taking Control: pathways to drug policies that work"* (co-organized by the Global Commission on Drug Policy, the Permanent Missions of Colombia, Mexico and Switzerland)

From 10:00 to 11:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Switzerland (e-mail ptg@eda.admin.ch).]

Interactive meeting between the President of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly and civil society for the High-level Stock-taking event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report (organized by the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Aqeelah Akbar, Office of the President of the General Assembly (e-mail akbar@un.org).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Wednesday, 10 September 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12:30	His Excellency John W. Ashe, President of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly (on the forthcoming High-level Stock-taking event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report (11-12 September))
14:15	Press conference by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) to preview the latest Scientific Assessment of Ozone Depletion: Implications for Global Action on Climate Change [*Speakers:* Mr. Achim Steiner, UNEP Executive Director; and Assessment Panel Co-Chairs; Dr. Paul Newman, NASA Goddard Space Flight Center; and Mr. A.R. (Ravi) Ravishankara, Colorado State University]

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution 57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution 66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on housing and sustainable urban development (Habitat III)

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 67/216 of 21 December 2012, the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development (Habitat III) will be held on Wednesday, 17 and Thursday, 18 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda for the session is contained in document A/CONF.226/PC.1/1.

Regional groups are reminded to nominate two States each for the Bureau of the Preparatory Committee. Nominations should be submitted, *in writing*, as soon as possible, by each regional group to the secretariat (e-mail habitat3secretariat@un.org copying muturi@un.org). Letters dated 12 June and 14 July 2014 from the Secretariat were sent to the Chairs of the regional groups.

Delegates who wish to attend the session of the Preparatory Committee are kindly requested to communicate, *as soon as possible*, the composition of their delegations to the secretariat (e-mail habitat3secretariat@un.org, copying elliotts@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-3783). Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org, copying habitat3secretariat@un.org).

Statements should be limited to *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group. Additional information on the first session of the Preparatory Committee for Habitat III is available in the Conference website (www.unhabitat.org/habitat-iii).

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250. The provisional agenda for the special session has been issued as document A/S-29/1.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes*.

Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for all representatives to the twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly, in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly. Credentials should be sent to the secretariat of the Credentials Committee (tel. 1 (212) 963-4657; room S-3639).

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

General debate
(24-27 September and 29 September-1 October 2014)

The provisional list of speakers No. 2 for the general debate of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-3082). The list of speakers has also been sent by email and by facsimile directly to the permanent missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are kindly reminded that, in accordance with existing practice at the general debate, a voluntary *15-minute* time limit should be observed and the list of speakers has been prepared on the basis of the agreed *15-minute* statement by each delegation. In order to assist the speakers with the timely delivery of their statements, a light mechanism will be installed at the rostrum. In view of the postponement of the opening of the general debate by one day, adherence to the voluntary *15-minute* time limit will be strongly advised.

Delegations may wish to inform their capital accordingly.

Forthcoming official meetings

Thursday, 11 September 2014

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

High-level Stock-taking event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report[1]

Opening

Statements by the President of the General Assembly and the Secretary-General of the United Nations

10:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Discussion 1

Outcomes and key messages of various post-2015 development-related processes occurred during the 68th session of the General Assembly

11:30 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Discussion 2

Open Working Group of the General Assembly on Sustainable Development Goals

15:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

[1]Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 30 June 2014 and 17 July 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There will be no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the discussions. For the updated and detailed programme please *click here*.

Friday, 12 September 2014

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

High-level Stock-taking event on the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Contributions to the Secretary-General's Synthesis Report[1]

Discussion 3

Means of implementation of the post-2015 development agenda: Financing the Post-2015 development agenda; Structured Dialogues on a Technology Facilitation Mechanism

10:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

[1]Letters from the President of the General Assembly dated 30 June 2014 and 17 July 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. There will be no established list of speakers. Delegations will have the opportunity to intervene during the discussions. For the updated and detailed programme please *click here*.

	Discussion 4	
	Monitoring and review framework	
15:00		Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Concluding remarks	
17:45		Trusteeship Council Chamber

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 18 July 2014 in document A/69/150.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

The information note for delegations on arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate was issued in document A/INF/69/4.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

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Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the

sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

Main Committees

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Friday, 3 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB), to consider its provisional programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/69/CRP.1) and indicative timetable for thematic discussions (A/C.1/69/CRP.2). A technical briefing by the Secretariat for delegates of the First Committee will be held in Conference Room 4 (GAB), immediately following the adjournment of the organizational meeting.

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items, from Tuesday, 7, to Wednesday, 15 October 2014. The Committee will then hold thematic discussions on specific subjects and the introduction and consideration of all draft resolutions submitted under agenda items from Thursday, 16, to Tuesday, 28 October 2014.

The list of speakers for the general debate *is open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact Mr. Tomas Casas (e-mail casast@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9488; room S-3055).

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit should be observed of *10 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *15 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open at a later date. The time limit for the thematic discussions is *5 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *7 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Mr. Kenji Nakano, Secretary of the First Committee (c/o Mr. Tomas Casas (e-mail casast@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9488; room S-3055; fax 1 (212) 963-5305)).

Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact Ms. Lidija Komatina (e-mail komatina@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2378; room S-3057).

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site (*click here*). For inquiries regarding access to QuickFirst, kindly contact Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org).

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

The Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will hold its first meeting on Thursday, 2 October 2014, from 10:00 to 11:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB). The proposed programme of work and timetable of the Committee is contained in document A/68/591. The Committee will begin its consideration of the cluster of items on decolonization on Tuesday, 7 October 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB). The list of speakers for the general discussion on all items of the Fourth Committee will open on *Monday, 15 September 2014*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are kindly requested to send an e-mail to 4thcommittee@un.org. Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of *10 minutes* for statements by individual Member States and *15 minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits. Requests of petitioners to address the Committee under item 59 (Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples), should be sent to the Chair of the Committee (c/o 4thcommittee@un.org; or fax 1 (212) 963-5305), *by close of business on Friday, 26 September 2014*.

Delegations are reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) should be submitted to Ms. Emer Herity, Secretary of the Committee (e-mail 4thcommittee@un.org; room S-3064; fax 1 (212) 963-5305). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers by *clicking here*. For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly send an e-mail to 4thcommittee@un.org. Representatives of Member States wishing to be included in the Fourth Committee mailing list are requested to send an e-mail from an official Permanent Mission e-mail address to 4thcommittee@un.org, indicating name, delegation and e-mail address.

Second Committee

The Second Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Friday, 19 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB), to consider its proposed organization of work (to be issued as document A/C.2/69/L.1) and status of documentation for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (to be issued as document A/C.2/69/L.1/Add.1), as well as to discuss its working methods for the session.

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly on Tuesday, 7 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

For information and documentation relating to the work of the Second Committee, please *click here*.

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Third Committee

Informal briefing

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316, an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Third Committee for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (A/C.3/69/L.1 and A/C.3/69/L.1/Add.1[1]) will be held on Thursday, 18 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Tuesday, 7 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The list of speakers for the general discussion on each item of the Third Committee will open on Monday, 22 September 2014. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact, *in writing*, to Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org).

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Moncef Khane (c/o Mr. Jose Tanoy (e-mail tanoy@un.org; room S-1291)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Background information on the work of the Third Committee, including the provisional programme of work for the sixty-ninth session, is available by *clicking here*.

For inquiries regarding user names and passwords for Third Committee QuickPlace, please contact Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4882).

[1]To be issued.

Sixth Committee

A briefing for Sixth Committee delegates on the Committee items on the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will be held on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law

Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing, chaired by the Chair of the Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, on Wednesday, 17 September 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 6 (GAB). The briefing is open to all Member States.

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Second regular session 2014

The second regular session 2014 of the Executive Board of United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) will be held on Monday, 15, and Tuesday 16 September 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda and workplan for the session are contained in document UNW/2014/L.4. To consult advance copies of documentation for the session, please *click here*.

Member States, observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official letterhead), as well as any requests to be on the speakers list with respect to agenda item on evaluation (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org) as early as possible, *but no later than Thursday, 11 September 2014*.

The upcoming annual session will be PaperSmart as usual. All official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal and will not be distributed by conference services during the session. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart.eb@unwomen.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services. Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

The Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, will hold an open briefing on "Countering Incitement to Commit Terrorist Acts Motivated by Extremism and Intolerance: the Kingdom of Morocco's Approach and Experiences of other African States" on Tuesday, 30 September 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB). The briefing will be open to Member and Observer States, United Nations entities, intergovernmental organizations and specialized agencies. Related information is available by *clicking here*.

Inquiries can be addressed to Mr. Matteo Sestito, Associate Political Affairs Officer, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) (e-mail sestito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1891) and Ms. Rebecca Brattskar, Associate Political Affairs Officer, CTED (e-mail brattskar@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1261).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on Legal Matters

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 9 (CB).

Non-Aligned Movement: Coordinating Bureau (at the ambassadorial level) (monthly meeting)

Monday, 15 September 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

Arab Group (First Committee experts)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room A (CB).

Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room C (CB).

International Criminal Court: Coalition for the International Criminal Court (panel discussion with judicial candidates)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room B (CB).

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 11:30, in Conference Room B (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 11:30 to 13:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing for new delegates to the General Assembly (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR))

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 10:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB).

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 10:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB)

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here*, or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Briefing on Government Claims and Memoranda of Understanding (MOU) website (organized by the Department of Field Support (DFS))

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Yolla Assaf, DFS (e-mail assafy@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9333).]

Women's International Forum: Lecture by His Excellency John W. Ashe, President of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly on "Setting the Stage for the Post-2015 Agenda. A year as President of the UN General Assembly" (spoasored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend. Please *click here* for further information.]

Briefing to Member States on national security (organized by the Department of Safety and Security)

Thursday, 11 September 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For more information, please contact Ms. Paula Goncalves, United Nations Security and Safety Service (e-mail goncalvesp@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7531).]

Special event on "A Critical Link in the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Technology Access and Assessment" (co-organized by the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (UN-NGLS) and the Action Group on Erosion, Technology and Concentration (ETC Group))

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All are invited. For further information, please *click here*; or contact UN-NGLS (e-mail info@un-ngls.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3125).]

Special event on "Strengthening the monitoring and review framework of the post-2015 development agenda: Who should be accountable and how?" (organized by the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR))

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information please contact Mr. Nouhoum Sangaré, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail sangaren@un.org).]

Briefing on the "Every Woman, Every Child movement" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of China, Kenya and the United Kingdom)

Friday, 12 September 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Elhadji Ndao, EOSG (e-mail ndaoe@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3518).]

Briefing on "The World Humanitarian Summit" (organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA))

Monday, 15 September 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All permanent missions and observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Ana Jimenez, OCHA (e-mail jimenez3@un.org).]

Event on "New Climate Economy Report" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Norway)

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from *09:00* to 11:00, in Conference Room 4 (GAB).

[All are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Annemarta S. Mugaas, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail annemarta.mugaas@mfa.no); or *click here.*]

Reconciliation and Conflict Prevention Workshop (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) New York Office)

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C (CB)

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Briefing on the "Climate and Clean Air Coalition to Reduce Short-Lived Climate Poliutants (CCAC)" (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

Tuesday, 16 September 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room A (CB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Jim Sniffen, UNEP (e-mail sniffenj@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8094).]

Training session on "Using the *Yearbook of the United Nations* online" (co-organized by the Publications and Editorial Section, the Outreach Division, Department of Public Information (DPI) and the Dag Hammarskjöld Library)

Thursday, 18 September 2014, from 14:30 to 16:30, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Training Room (L-166).

[Members of permanent missions and permanent observer missions and United Nations staff are invited. To register for the session, please *click here*. For further information, please contact Mr. John R. Sebesta, Yearbook Unit (e-mail sebesta@un.org).]

Special event on "The Addis Ababa Declaration on Population and Development" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of South Africa and the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA))

Friday, 19 September 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber (CB).

[All permanent missions and observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Margaret Agondua, Permanent Mission of South Africa (e-mail agonduam@dirco.gov.za; tel. 1 (212) 692-2486).]

Panel discussion on "Moving to Implementation: findings from the UNDG Dialogues on Post-2015 Implementation" (co-organized by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and the United Nations Development Group (UNDG))

Thursday, 25 September 2014, from 11:30 13:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Antje Watermann, UNDP (e-mail antje.watermann@undp.org; tel. 1 (646) 781-4091).]

Announcements

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law

The Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs is pleased to announce the following additions to the Research Library (Publications–Other Resources) of the United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law website: "African Union Handbook 2014" and "New Zealand's United Nations Handbook 2013–2014". All are invited to visit the website, please *click here* to access the new additions.

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are off-line as of Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa are now being accepted. *The deadline for applications is 24 October 2014*. The Regional Course for Africa is scheduled to be held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 2 to 27 February 2015. This course is open for candidates from Member States of the United Nations, which are also members of the regional group of African States. The Regional Course will be conducted in English in 2015. The organization of the Regional Course is subject to funding.

For further information, including application forms, please consult the website of the Regional Courses at http://www.un.org/law/rcil; or contact the Codification Division at: rcil-africa@un.org.

2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from 22 June to 31 July 2015, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Monday, 1 December 2014*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in English this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme website at www.un.org/law/ilfp; or contact the Codification Division at ilfp@un.org.

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of September:

Overview of the Legal Library (English)

Newsbank Database Demonstration (English)

Finding Speeches (English)

Voting Information (English)

Introduction to Library Services (English)

General Assembly Documentation (English and Spanish)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English and French)

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources (English)

Introduction to e-Books (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their permanent missions. Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 8 September 2014

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences
Substantive session for 2014

535th meeting

Adoption of the report and proposed dates for the organizational and substantive session for 2015 [item 8]

The Chair made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution on the pattern of conferences and adopted its draft report.

The Committee thus concluded its substantive session for 2014.

Tuesday, 9 September 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7260th meeting

The situation in Liberia

Twenty-eighth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2014/598)

Letter dated 28 August 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/644)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited His Excellency Brownie J. Samukai, Minister of National Defense of the Republic of Liberia, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Ms. Karin Landgren, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Mission in Liberia, and His Excellency Mårten Grunditz (Sweden), Chair of the Liberia configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission, to participate in the meeting under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Ms. Landgren and His Excellency Mårten Grunditz.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Brownie J. Samukai.

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

[archived video]

107th plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/68/716/Add.11) [item 138]

The General Assembly took note that Yemen had made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter (A/68/716/Add.11).

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields: draft resolution (A/68/L.57/Rev.1) [item 14]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 14.

The representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/68/L.57/Rev.1.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement on programme budget implications of draft resolution A/68/L.57/Rev.1.

Statements in explanation of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of Iceland and the Russian Federation.

By 124 votes to 11, with 41 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/68/L.57/Rev.1 (resolution 68/304).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the United States, Japan, Italy (on behalf of the European Union), Canada, Norway and Australia.

Statements were made by the representatives of Argentina, Nicaragua, China, Morocco, South Africa, Brazil, Ecuador, Cuba, Jamaica, El Salvador, India, Singapore, the Syrian Arab Republic, Colombia, Mexico, Sri Lanka, Egypt, Uruguay, Chile, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and Algeria.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 14.

Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action: draft decision (A/68/L.58) [item 67 (b)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 67.

The General Assembly adopted draft decision (A/68/L.58) (decision 68/558).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 67 and of agenda item 67 as a whole.

Report of the International Criminal Court: draft resolution (A/68/L.59) [item 75]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 75.

The representative of the Netherlands made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/68/L.59.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/68/L.59 (resolution 68/305).

The representative of the Sudan made a statement in explanation of vote after adoption.

Statements were made by the representatives of Liechtenstein (also on behalf of Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Chile, Costa Rica, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Luxembourg, Mexico, Peru, Romania, Slovenia, South Africa, Switzerland and Trinidad and Tobago), Argentina, Costa Rica, South Africa, Kenya, Hungary, Brazil and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 75.

Strengthening of the United Nations system; United Nations reform: measures and proposals: draft resolution (A/68/L.42/Rev.1) [items 124 and 125]

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda items 124 and 125.

The representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement, in the course of which she introduced draft resolution A/68/L.42/Rev.1.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution (A/68/L.42/Rev.1) (resolution 68/306).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda items 124 and 125.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography. New York, 25 May 2000

Signature: Democratic People's Republic of Korea (9 September 2014)

Ratification: Haiti (9 September 2014)

United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Notifications under articles 16 and 18: Lithuania (9 September 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Malawi
His Excellency Charles Msosa

Asia-Pacific States:
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Mr. Gholamhossein Dehghani
Chargé d'affaires

Eastern European States:
Czech Republic
Her Excellency Edita Hrdá

Latin American and Caribbean States:
El Salvador
His Excellency Rubén Ignacio Zamora Rivas

Western European and other States:
Switzerland
His Excellency Paul Seger

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

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All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcome. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Emergency information and updates

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Touch screen information kiosks

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations and staff to use the two touch screen information kiosks located in the North Lawn Building to access the official meeting schedule, the *Journal of the United Nations*, the Delegates' Handbook, the Blue Book and the United Nations Staff Yellow Pages, as well as Headquarters and Conference Room Maps. These easy to use kiosks are located on the ground floor just after the First Avenue entrance security checkpoint and on the second floor next to the Café. DGACM welcomes feedback, questions or comments pertaining to the information kiosks, which can be addressed to helpdesk@un.org.

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www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
www.un.org/sc/1540/

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Yearbook of the United Nations
http://unyearbook.un.org

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www.un.org/chronicle

PaperSmart portal
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Documents issued at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 9 September 2014

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General Assembly	**Documents**
	Sixty-eighth session
A/68/970	Items 14, 19 (a) and 118 — Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields — Sustainable development: implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations

Conference on Sustainable Development — Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit — Report of the Open Working Group of the General Assembly on Sustainable Development Goals [A C E F R S] — *24 pages*

A/68/L.60 Item 13 — 2001-2010: Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa — Australia, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, France, India, Malawi, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia and United States of America: draft resolution — Consolidating gains and accelerating efforts to control and eliminate malaria in developing countries, particularly in Africa, by 2015 [A C E F R S] — *9 pages*

A/RES/68/303 Item 33 (b) — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly on 31 July 2014 — Strengthening the role of mediation in the peaceful settlement of disputes, conflict prevention and resolution [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

Sixty-ninth session

A/69/265 Item 69 (b) of the provisional agenda — Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms — Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *27 pages*

A/69/277 Item 69 (b) of the provisional agenda — Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms — Promotion and protection of human rights, including ways and means to promote the human rights of migrants — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *18 pages*

A/69/281 Item 117 of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to the commemoration of the two-hundredth anniversary of the abolition of the transatlantic slave trade — Programme of educational outreach on the transatlantic slave trade and slavery — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *19 pages*

A/69/298 Item 20 of the provisional agenda — Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *17 pages*

Tenth emergency special session

A/ES-10/654–S/2014/615 Item 5 — Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory — Identical letters dated 22 August 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/ES-10/656–S/2014/646 Item 5 — Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory — Identical letters dated 2 September 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

Documents

Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

CEDAW/C/VEN/Q/7-8/Add.1
List of issues and questions in relation to the combined seventh and eighth periodic reports of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela — Replies from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela [A C E F R S] — *23 pages*

Security Council	**Documents**
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